

Form 24 (Rev. 8-82)

THE CITY OF NEW YORK

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS ALT# 1244/87

CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY AMENDED

BOROUGH MANHATTAN

DATE: 11-11-11 NO.

This certificate Amends D. No. 87914

ZONING DISTRICT R-10A

THIS CERTIFIES that the ~~XXXX~~ altered ~~XXXX~~ building premises located at
4 West 76th Street SWC Central Park West

Block 1128 Lot 33

CONFORMS SUBSTANTIALLY TO THE APPROVED PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS AND TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF ALL APPLICABLE LAWS, RULES, AND REGULATIONS FOR THE USES AND OCCUPANCIES SPECIFIED HEREIN

PERMISSIBLE USE AND OCCUPANCY

STORY	LIVE LOAD LB. PER SQ. FT.	MAXIMUM NO. OF PERSONS PERMITTED	ZONING SHELLING OR ROOMING UNITS	BUILDING CODE HABITABLE ROOMS	ZONING USE GROUP	BUILDING CODE OCCUPANCY GROUP	DESCRIPTION OF USE
Cellar	0.G.	275			4 3	F-1b F-1b G D-2 D-2 D-2 B-2 B-2	Multi-purpose room meeting rooms classrooms boiler and mechanical oil tank room kitchen storage rooms toilets
1st Floor	100	590			4 3	F-1b F-1b D-2 B-2 G	Church, chapel meeting room storage, pantry, offices toilet classrooms, library, offices
Mezzanine	100	191					Meeting space, lounge, offices, study, toilets
2nd Floor	60 100	41			3 4	G	Classroom, offices, library organ room
3rd Floor		10			3	G	Classroom
Bell Tower		1			4		Bell tower
OLD CODE							
THIS CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY MUST BE POSTED WITHIN THE BUILDING IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RULES OF THE DEPARTMENT PROMULGATED MARCH 31ST, 1967.							

OPEN SPACE USES

(SPECIFY - PARKING SPACES, LOADING BERTHS, OTHER USES, NONE)

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NO CHANGES OF USE OR OCCUPANCY SHALL BE MADE UNLESS
A NEW AMENDED CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY IS OBTAINEDTHIS CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY IS ISSUED SUBJECT TO FURTHER LIMITATIONS, CONDITIONS AND
SPECIFICATIONS NOTED ON THE REVERSE SIDE.

Borough Superintendent

Commissioner

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S. Rep. to S. Conf. Rpt.

THAT THE ZONING LOT ON WHICH THE PREMISES IS LOCATED IS BOUNDED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING at a point on the South side of West 76th Street
 distant 0 feet from the corner formed by the intersection of
 Central Park West and West 76th Street
 running thence West 150' 0" feet; thence South 102' 2" feet;
 thence East 150' 0" feet; thence North 102' 2" feet;
 thence feet; thence feet;
 thence feet; thence feet;
 to the point or place of beginning.

W.D. or ALT. No. 1244/87 DATE OF COMPLETION 9/26/89 CONSTRUCTION CLASSIFICATION CL 3non-fireproof
 BUILDING OCCUPANCY GROUP CLASSIFICATION Church HEIGHT 3 STORIES, 50' 0" FEET

THE FOLLOWING FIRE DETECTION AND EXTINGUISHING SYSTEMS ARE REQUIRED AND WERE INSTALLED IN COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE LAWS.

	YES	NO		YES	NO
STANDPIPE SYSTEM			AUTOMATIC SPRINKLER SYSTEM		
YARD HYDRANT SYSTEM					
STANDPIPE FIRE TELEPHONE AND SIGNALLING SYSTEM					
SMOKE DETECTOR					
FIRE ALARM AND SIGNAL SYSTEM	EXIST	X			

STORM DRAINAGE DISCHARGES INTO:

A) STORM SEWER ☐ B) COMBINED SEWER ☐ C) PRIVATE SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM ☐

SANITARY DRAINAGE DISCHARGES INTO:

A) SANITARY SEWER ☐ B) COMBINED SEWER ☐ C) PRIVATE SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM ☐

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Rev. Rosemary Bray McNatt

The Fourth Universalist Society is a liberal religious community whose members are committed to the pursuit of religious freedom, and to building a world that is more just, peaceful, and sustainable.

We are united not by a creed, but by a covenant of mutual respect.

We provide a supportive community for each individual's spiritual journey, and we help our children develop their spiritual curiosity.

Come and join us - nurture your spirit and help heal the world!

Guest Preachers in February:

Feb. 3: Olympia's Daughters - "Living Out Loud: A Service in Song"

Feb. 10: Tom Stites, former editor, UU World - "What Can Liberate Us?"

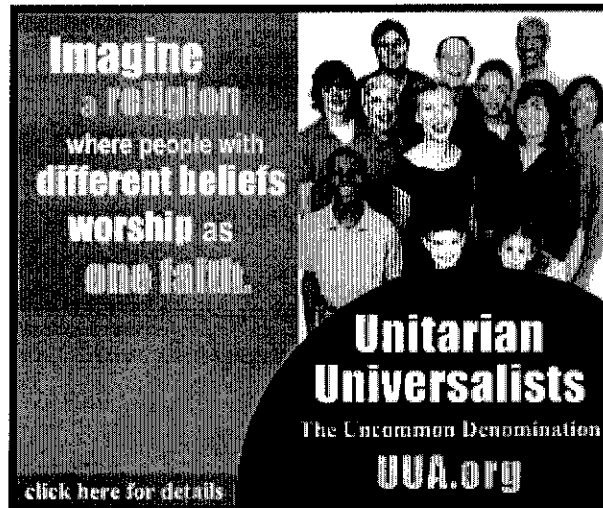
Feb. 17: Rev. Deb Morra, UU Community Minister and representative, "Pride in the Pulpit".

Feb. 24: Aisha Hauser, Director of Religious Education, Fourth Universalist Society

- [Rev. McNatt's Sabbatical](#)



Officially recognized as a UUA Welcoming Congregation, we welcome and celebrate the presence and participation of bisexual, gay, lesbian, and/or transgender people.



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About Us



Love is the doctrine of this church,
The quest of truth is its sacrament,
And service is its prayer.
To dwell together in peace,
To seek knowledge in freedom,
To serve life in fellowship,
To the end that all souls shall grow in harmony:
Thus do we covenant with each and with all.

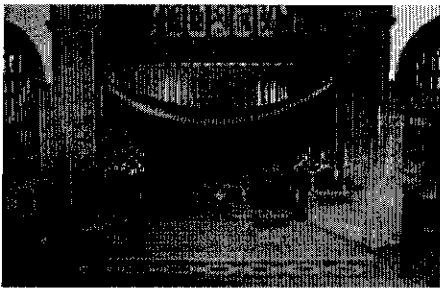
Griswold Williams (adapted)

The Fourth Universalist Society is a Unitarian Universalist congregation, a liberal religious presence in New York City since 1838, welcoming people of all cultural, religious, racial and ethnic backgrounds. Fourth U is the sole survivor of seven Universalist churches in New York City and now has about 150 members.



Our church building was completed in 1898 and was designed by the noted architect William A. Potter. It was originally named “The Church of the Divine Paternity.” The tower and features of the sanctuary are replicas of the medieval tower and buildings at Magdalen College in Oxford, England.

Our bell tower is named “The Peace Tower” to inspire us to work for peace in our lives, our community and our world.



Our sanctuary features an altar by Louis Comfort Tiffany, relief sculpture by Augustus St. Gaudens and stained glass windows by Clayton and Bell of London. It is considered one of the anchors of the New York City Landmark Historic District and is listed in the National Register of Historic Places. [This website from the American Guild of Organists](#)



gives additional information about the history of our church and our organ.

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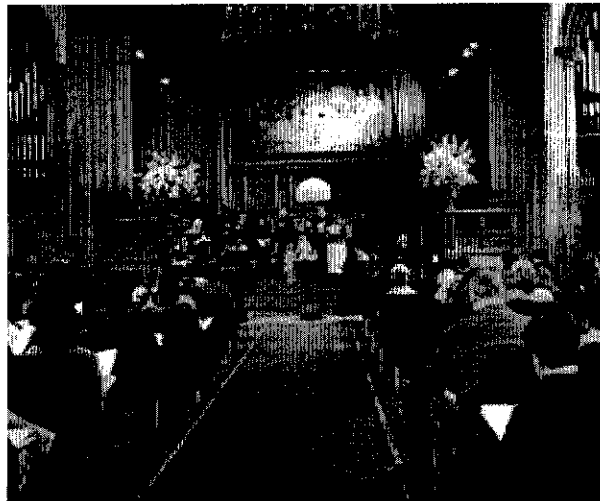
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Sunday Services

Our Sunday Services begin at 10:45 AM and end at around 12:15 PM. They are followed by Coffee Hour, a social time which is held in the back of the sanctuary. We have services year-round, but our senior minister is away during July and August.

Attire at our services is generally casual. On any given Sunday you'll find a wide range of dress, from coat and tie to jeans and tee-shirts. All are welcome.



School aged children are invited to stay for the beginning portion of our service, and then after the "Children of All Ages" section to go downstairs to the Children's Chapel where they will enjoy their own UU service and religious exploration programs.

Nursery care is available every Sunday from 10:45 AM to 12:15 PM. Please ask our ushers to direct you to the nursery.

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Music at 4th U

Frequently Asked Questions about Music at 4th U

1. What kinds of music will I hear at Sunday services?

Our services include music from a wide array of styles and influences, including western classical music, jazz, pop, gospel, folk, and world music.

2. Do you have a choir? Can anyone join?

Our adult choir is a volunteer ensemble comprised of men and women who love to sing and to study music. We meet every Sunday morning from 9:15-10:30 AM in the choir room. Anyone, regardless of previous musical experience, is welcome to join. Repertoire includes standard sacred choral literature, as well as pop, gospel, and world music styles. Our choir season runs from September to June. There is no choir rehearsal in the summer.

3. My group is interested in performing at 4th U. Do you hire guest performers?

Yes! We frequently feature ensembles and soloists of all types. Please contact the 4th U office for more details.

4. What kinds of musical opportunities are there for kids?

Children are encouraged to participate in the Family Choir, which is an intergenerational ensemble that performs several times a year in the worship services. The Family Choir provides parents and children with the opportunity to sing together. For more information, contact the RE director (aisha@4thu.org).

5. What kinds of hymns does the congregation sing?

We use two hymnals in our services, *Singing the Living Tradition* and the new supplement called *Singing the Journey*. Many of the hymns are traditional songs with rewritten lyrics that reflect the UU faith. There are also many original songs and familiar folk tunes. If you are interested in hearing midi files of the hymns in the new teal supplement, *Singing the Journey*, visit <http://archive.uua.org/publications/music/recordings.html>.

6. Can I request my favorite hymn?

Of course! Keep in mind, however, that we strive to be diverse in our hymn selection and to sing favorites as well as introduce new songs. Effort is made to link the hymns to the topic of the service and to not repeat hymns frequently. Contact Jim Saslow, music committee chair, with your suggestion (saslowj@earthlink.net)

7. I'm a 4th U community member and I'd like to get more involved in music at 4th U. What can I do?

Our music committee is open to anyone who is interested in improving the musical life of the congregation. Contact Jim Saslow, music committee chair, for more information (saslowj@earthlink.net).

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Committees and Activites

Committee Chairs 2007/2008

Executive Committee of the Church Council: Liz Wolfe, Pam Plate

Communications: Alex Glass

Denominational Affairs: Ryan Novosielski

Faith in Action: James Wesley

Finance & Stewardship: Liz Wolfe, Pam Plate (Bookstore), Ed Jacobus (Buildings and Grounds)

Hospitality: Lois Coleman

Membership: Seana Anderson

Ministerial Advisory Council: Bri Matsuoka

Music: Jim Saslow

Nominating: Zabby Hovey

Worship Arts: Phyllis Damon, Jennifer Jackson (First Thursdays)

Pastoral Care: Open

Religious Exploration: Zabby Hovey, Don Farrow, Lisa Stiffler (Youth Group Advisor)

Game Night: Jennifer Jackson

Interweave: Ashley Burczak

Spiritual Abundance Workshop: Liz Wolfe

New Moon Circle: Deborah Roth

Humanist Workshop: Joseph Ben-David

Kateri Residence Worship: Robert Martin

Nature Walk: Tom Kennedy

Small Group Ministries: Rosemary Bray McNatt

Annual Retreat: Open

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Religious Education

Come join the Fourth Universalist Society, a place where children of all ages can experience a non-dogmatic, joyful fellowship in a loving and open-minded community. We explore Unitarian Universalism, Christianity, Judaism, Islam, and other world religions, humanism, and earth-centered spirituality through art, music, and storytelling. Interfaith families, single parent families, GLBT families and all families in all forms are welcome. Feel free to contact Aisha Hauser, Director of Religious Education at aisha@4thu.org, during coffee hour after the service, or call 212-595-1658 ext. 52 with any questions about Unitarian Universalism and our program.



The RE program begins on Sundays at 10:45 AM when children sit with their families or friends for the first part of the adult service. At about 11:15 AM, the congregation “sings the children downstairs” to their own service and classes, with the song Go Now In Peace. The RE program lasts until 12:30 PM, when the parents are asked to come downstairs and meet their children. This is an informal time for parents to meet one another and engage in a meaningful fellowship. Often families get together for afternoon activities (brunch, museum, walk in Central Park, etc.).

- [RE Calendar](#)

Our Programming:

Pre-K to Kindergarten: We Are Many, We Are One

This curriculum uses stories, games and projects that encourage children to honor themselves, their religious community, nature, and cultures from around the world. It features a rich array of games, songs and family newsletters to build relationships between teachers and home.

1st to 3rd Grades: Super Heroes - Bible People

This curriculum, written by the Unitarian Universalist religious educator, Gaia Brown, introduces the children to the stories of people from the Bible, for example Moses, David, Solomon, Jesus, and Esther, who have acted with courage

and wisdom in their attempts to lead their lives fully and make the world a better place for others. The Bible stories are told from a UU perspective. In the course of fun activities like making an ark of the covenant and creating Joseph's coat of many colors, the children are encouraged to learn how to use their own positive "super powers" as they interact with the world around them, and as they do so, to grow both spiritually and ethically.

4th and 5th Grades: Timeless Themes - Stories from the Hebrew and Christian Bibles

This group explores the major stories of the bible from a Unitarian Universalist perspective. Children are introduced to the religious stories central to our culture and to our heritage, and the human issues, beliefs, and values reflected in these classic stories are emphasized. For example, the story of Cain and Able examines the issues of sibling rivalry and jealousy.

6th Grade: It Starts with Me!

This curriculum written by Canadian Unitarian Universalist, Judith Birch, teaches about social justice and social action from a spiritual perspective. Why is it important that Unitarian Universalists make social action a part of our religious community? The children will examine this question as well as work on social justice projects.

7th to 9th Grade (Youth Group)

This group will meet at 12:30 PM on Sunday mornings, immediately after the service. It will be a time for UU youth to examine their religious beliefs as they become adolescents. What is their place in the world and their faith community? This group will seek to strengthen their ties to Unitarian Universalism.

Special Programs being offered in 2008:

Our Whole Lives (OWL) for 4th and 5th grade

This is an eight week course designed to help children "gain the knowledge, life principles, and skills they need to express their sexuality in life-enhancing ways. This curriculum is an expression of the belief that educating institutions—religious communities, community organizations and schools—can form meaningful partnerships with parents to provide positive and responsible sexuality education" (from the introduction to OWL).

Coming of Age

A rite of passage for Unitarian Universalist youth. The youth will spend four months examining their belief systems. This will culminate in a special service in the spring, on Mother's Day of 2008, where they will read their personal credo statements.

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First Thursdays at Fourth U

The 4th Universalist Society of New York is pleased to announce the launch of a new adult religious exploration workshop series this year.

First Thursdays @ 4th U: Programs for Mind, Body and Spirit invites participants to explore spirituality in all its various forms from a Unitarian Universalist perspective, drawing on intellectual, experiential and emotional resources to deepen personal understanding and practice. The workshops begin at 6:00 PM; light dinner is served and childcare is provided.

The schedule of workshops is as follows:

October 4, 2007: "UU Spirituality: Setting the Stage" led by the Rev. Rosemary Bray McNatt

November 1, 2007: Walking the Labyrinth led by George Kuhn

December 6, 2007: Feast or Famine? Reclaiming What is Worthwhile from our Long-Discarded Spiritual Roots led by Aisha Hauser

January 3: Silence: A Discovery of Self led by Gary Jacinto, D.Min.

February 7: Science or Fiction? A Humanist Approach to Spirituality led by Matthew Gilbert

March 6: Simply Pray: A Modern UU Approach led by Amy Strano Bennett

April 3: Feast or Famine? Reclaiming What is Worthwhile from our Long-Discarded Spiritual Roots led by Aisha Hauser (a repeat of December's workshop)

May 1: The Maypole and You: Celebrating Ancient Earth-Centered Practices in Modern Times led by Deborah Roth

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Faith In Action

The Faith In Action Committee provides methods for the expression of social action at Fourth U. This may include Sunday services, participation in workshops, attendance at public rallies, marches and seminars, fundraising for the annual toy drive, informing the congregation of opportunities in the community and with the UUA for social action.

Talent needed: Dedication to social action causes: examples are - racial justice; voter registration; gay/lesbian rights; disability rights; protection of the environment; animal rights; lower cost housing issues, women's equality; abortion issues; civil liberties, etc. Willingness to write letters to public officials, research issues, attend rallies.

Fourth Universalist is a member of Interfaith Voices, an umbrella organization in the New York area for people of all faiths to give public witness to our shared principles and values.

Chair: James Wesley

FAITH IN ACTION SUB-COMMITTEES:

UFETA (Unitarian Universalists for Ethical Treatment of Animals)

- *Leader:* Sheila Dines; Marisa Miller
- *Purpose:* To create awareness of the need for proper and ethical treatment of animals by individuals, corporations, universities and governments. Films are shown periodically.

TASK FORCE TO ABOLISH THE DEATH PENALTY

- *Leader:* Christine Anderson
- *Purpose:* To inform the congregation and the public about people who are facing the death penalty. Each day that a person is scheduled to die a group gathers to ring bells in front of the church at 6:00 pm and hands out literature to interested passer-bys. Letter writing campaigns to oppose the death penalty are encouraged.

- *Leader:* Christine Anderson
- *Purpose:* Attention to the conservation of resources in the church: recycling, reuse, use of fluorescent lighting and energy conservation, avoidance of the use of paper plates and cups, etc.

KATERI RESIDENCE WORSHIP SERVICE

- *Leader:* Robert Martin
- Rev. Ed Bollela leads a worship service on the first Saturday each month; Robert Martin leads the service on the third Saturday of each month. Kateri Residence is a nursing home with 500 plus residents, many of whom rarely have visitors. Members and friends are welcome and encouraged to attend these Saturday services.

WOMEN FOR PEACE

- *Leaders:* Christine Anderson, Kari Reynolds
- In April 2003 this group organized a bus trip to Washington, DC to march for Reproductive Rights, and also organized a bus trip for a March on Washington for Peace.

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The 4th Universalist Society

In The City Of New York

160 Central Park West, at 76th Street
212-595-1658/info@4thu.org

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Our Programs

4th U Choir: Music is an integral part of the community at 4th U. Our adult choir, under the direct of Sara Shumway, is a group of committed and passionate singers of all ability levels who perform regularly in the worship service. Any member of our community is welcome and no auditions are required. The choir rehearses each Sunday morning from 9:15-10:30 am. For more information on repertoire and performances, contact Sara Shumway at sara.shumway@4thu.org.

Family Choir: This intergenerational ensemble is the result of a collaboration between the music director and the RE program. The goal of this choir is to provide an experience for families to make music together. Anyone, regardless of age or ability is welcome. The family choir performs occasionally throughout the year in the service. For more information, contact Sara Shumway at sara.shumway@4thu.org.

Dream Catchers: The exploration of conscious dreaming techniques and dream interpretation by sharing, recording, and recalling your dreams. Based on the belief that dreams are gifts that inform enrich our lives and our beliefs. Meets once a month.

Humanistic UU and Human Relations: Occasional discussion groups exploring themes related to humanistic worldview, personal values, and social psychology.

Men's Group: Meets monthly after worship and occasionally on weeknights. There is some ritual, discussion and sharing, centered on the spiritual and personal growth of liberal religious men.

Moon Circle: Meets one evening monthly during the full moon. This is an earth-centered ritual and sharing group, which also occasionally prepares ritual for Sunday morning worship.

Nature Walk: Join us the first Sunday of each month for a guided nature walk in Central Park. Meet 9:00 a.m. in front of the church at 160 Central Park West at 76th Street. We return in time for the 10:45 a.m. service.

Nursing Home Ministry: The first and third Saturdays of each month, one member leads worship Kateri Residence Nursing Home at 150 Riverside Drive for members of the Home and guests.

TaKala: A women's society founded over 100 years ago to do good works in the community. Although an independent organization, it works to support the congregation as a whole and especially the role of women. TaKala often aids those who participate in the larger denomination in the hope of enhancing their contributions to the Fourth Universalist Society.

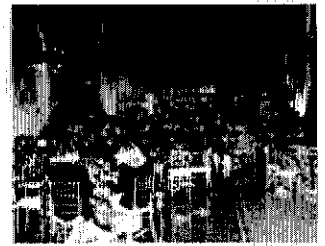
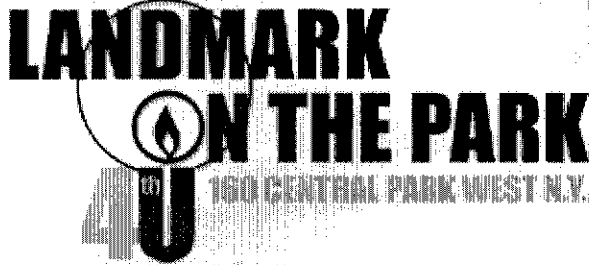
Theater Group: A member regularly organizes theater trips at discounted prices. Shows range from off off-Broadway to musicals and Broadway productions.

Underground Gourmet: Meets the first Tuesday of the month except during the summer. We begin

with pre-dinner refreshments at a member's Home, then gather at a near-by restaurant. A great way to meet fellow members and friends and try out new restaurants.

Westsidiers' Together: WEST is the Upper West Side project of the Industrial Areas Foundation, which is devoted to grassroots community organizing. Our congregation is one of the founding member organizations, enabling our congregants to work with people in other area churches, synagogues and secular organizations.

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4TH FLOOR	60	70					CLASSROOMS AND OFFICES
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Welcome to All Souls!

And welcome to the All Souls website.



We are a self-governing congregation of nearly 1,500 people that was established in 1819. We come together to worship, serve the community and create an enriching, non-dogmatic religious environment.

All Souls is proud of its 25 social outreach programs. These include feeding the homeless at the Monday evening "Homeless Hospitality", the Friday noon soup kitchen, tutoring children at our adopted elementary school, PS 102, and others.

All Souls is an accessible congregation. We are dedicated to providing an environment in which all people feel welcome regardless of race, sexual orientation or physical ability.

If you're familiar with All Souls and this site, we hope to provide resources to enrich your experience.

For those new to All Souls, we have attempted to provide everything you may need within these "walls" as an introduction to the vision, history, people, and activities that make up All Souls.

If you would like more information, contact Blamo Jaurey at blamo@allsoulsnyc.org or (212) 535-5530. You can also attend a Welcome to All Souls Workshop.

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For more information on All Souls, contact:

Blamo Jaurey, Director of Newcomer Services
blamo@allsoulsnyc.org
 (212) 535-5530.

Welcome to All Souls Workshops — '07 - '08

All workshops take place on Sundays at 12:45 p.m. Check your order of service on one of these dates for the room assignment.

2007

September 23
 October 21
 November 11
 December 9

2008

January 13
 February 10
 March 9
 April 20
 May 18

Learn more

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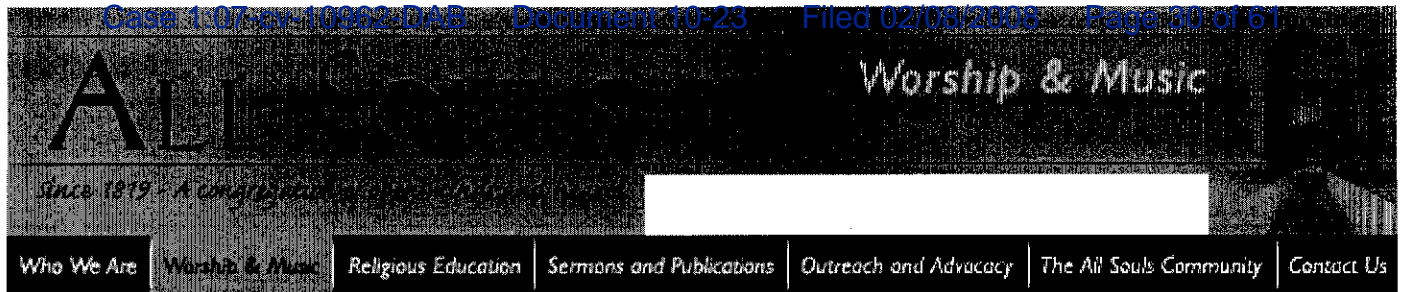
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Worship Services

Unitarian Universalism invites us to find ways to worship that are meaningful to us personally. In this spirit, All Souls offers more than one style of worship.

While Sunday morning is the traditional time for worship, we encourage you to explore these other options by following the links to the left.

Sunday Morning

Members and guests of All Souls meet on Sunday mornings for a time of worship, community and reflection. This is followed by a social hour and other special events.

See our Sunday morning schedule at right.

Midweek Worship

Join us at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of each month for a contemporary midweek worship service, led by the Rev. Cheryl M. Walker. Music is provided by a live contemporary band. Join us at 6:30 p.m. for soup and bread before the service.

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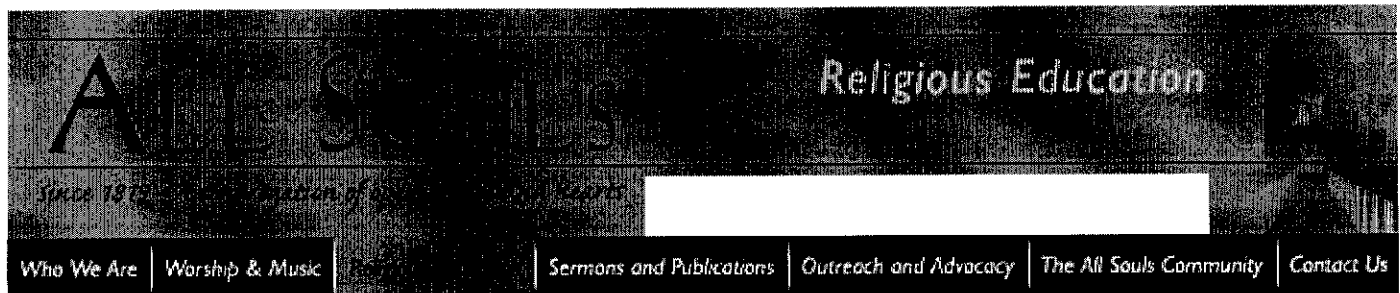
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Religious Education

The Religious Education program at All Souls embodies the principles of Lifespan RE.

The Religious Education Program for Children and Youth on Sunday morning, under the direction of Melaney Mashburn, begins with the Nursery and continues through twelfth grade.

The Adult Education Program offerings include Sunday morning and weeknight programming organized by the Adult Education Committee.

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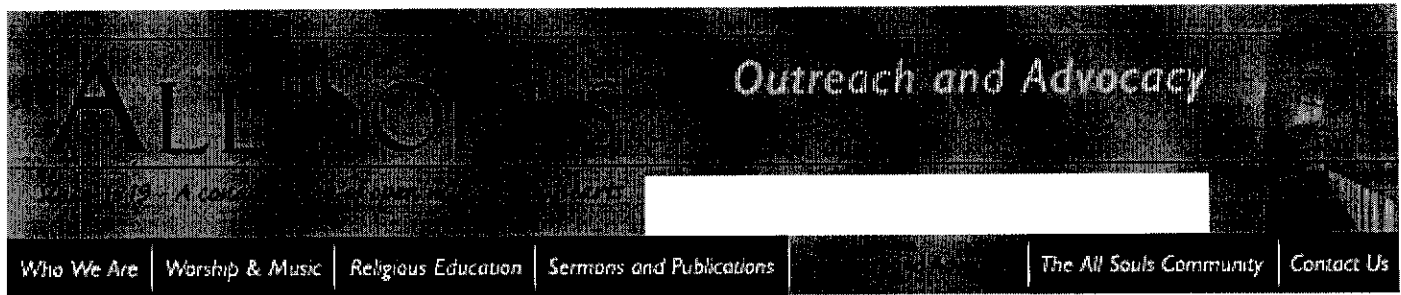
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Outreach and Advocacy

All Souls is involved in over 25 social programs. Some of these programs are organized by the church. With others, we supply volunteers and financing. All Souls finances many of its Outreach Programs through a yearly gala event: [The Heart & Soul Auction](#).

Outreach and Advocacy Groups and Programs at All Souls

The following advocacy and outreach groups have detailed information about their activities on this website. Click on a link to them for information. You can also [request more information](#) from All Souls.

[P.S. Partners](#) is a volunteer program based at CPE1 (Central Park East 1), a K-6 public school in East Harlem. Volunteers provide assistance to the school in programs deemed most urgent by Principal Julie Zuckerman. Currently, volunteers are working to create a functional library system with a weekly reading group and plan to assist teachers in the classrooms beginning fall 2006.

[Anti-Gun Violence Initiative](#), committed to the reduction of gun violence in the United States, participates in political demonstrations, education through speakers' forums, community outreach and coordination with other faith-based organizations, advocacy of legislative solutions, and participation in election activities to ensure that candidates will advance these goals.

[Booker T. Washington Learning Center](#) is a multifaceted community learning enhancement center in East Harlem, where volunteers work with children and young adults.

[Task Force to End the Death Penalty](#), in the drive to abolish capital punishment, engages in education and advocacy and supports interim measures that include moratoria on the death penalty.

[Friday Soup Kitchen](#) serves lunch to 125 guests every Friday of the year to neighbors who are in economic crisis.

[Girl Scouts](#) All Souls sponsors and recruits leaders for the Girl Scout troops that meet at St. Edward the Martyr Church in East Harlem.

[Task Force on Housing](#) is an outreach program dedicated to affordable housing for all in New York City through participation in building programs for low-income families, advocacy of fair housing policies, and fulfilling faith-based safe shelter programs.

[Interweave](#) is an alliance of bisexuals, gays, lesbians and transgender persons and their heterosexual friends at The Unitarian Church of All Souls in New York City.

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How to Get Involved

There are many points of entry to involvement in the committees and task forces and events that describe so much of life at All Souls.

Explore the programs described here and consider what appeals to you, what awakens your desire to become more involved in these groups. Then pick up the phone and call the volunteer hotline (described above).

Learn even more about this group, including when the next meeting or event is being held. Attend. Then reflect on how the focus of this group matches your aspirations. If it does, stick with it for awhile. If not, try something else. In the meantime, you are meeting that many more people who will allow you to feel more at home at All Souls.

We invite you also to:

- Read the monthly Bulletin. The Bulletin will provide an update on what is happening at All Souls. Again, consider what appeals to you, and simply show up at the next meeting or event.

- Read the inserts in the Sunday morning Order of Service. These printed announcements provide you with the most updated knowledge of what is

Inwood House is a residence for pregnant teenagers, volunteers engage in support activities for young mothers and fathers.

Journey Toward Wholeness focuses on systemic racism as it affects our congregation and the community.

Monday Night Hospitality, each Monday evening, 52 weeks a year, provides a hot meal for approximately 160 guests.

Navigators USA is a non-profit organization whose mission is to help boys and girls build trust, respect, and self-esteem through adventure activities.

New Orleans Initiative Grounded in our Unitarian-Universalist faith, we pledge to promote awareness within the congregation of the long-term nature of the rebuilding of New Orleans after Hurricane Katrina, to engage the congregation in the rebuilding of New Orleans through both hands-on and financial support, and to advocate on behalf of the people of New Orleans.

The Nuclear Disarmament Task Force works to educate the public regarding nuclear non-proliferation and put pressure on lawmakers to reign in investment in nuclear arms programs.

Peace Task Force is a discussion and action group and information source for members who are concerned about immediate threats of war as well as exploring ways to work toward lasting global peace.

Unitarian Universalist Service Committee seeks to raise awareness of and seek membership support for programs worldwide that empower women, defend the rights of children, and support the struggles of indigenous people and oppressed racial and ethnic groups.

UU United Nations Office, an accredited "NGO" (non-governmental organization) at the United Nations, oversees numerous denominational activities regarding international affairs. The recently established All Souls Envoy Program is our congregation's programmatic link with the UU United Nations Office. Focus issues are UN International Affairs and Human Rights.

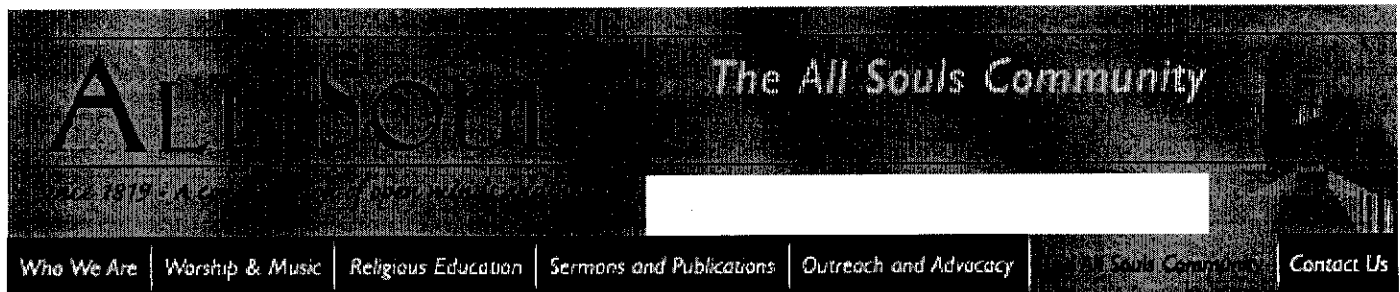
happening at All Souls.

- Attend the Volunteer Fairs—called "Faith Works Sundays"—that are held three Sundays each month from October through May. Faith Works Sundays will be held during Sunday morning Coffee Hour in Reidy Friendship Hall. Each church group depending on volunteers will have a representative present with information that will allow you to make an informed choice about where to focus your time and energy. Don't hesitate to ask them questions about how they got involved, what exactly they do, what their group's current needs and opportunities are, and what your next step might be to getting involved.

- Contact the ministers. Come and see the ministers of All Souls. Forrest, Galen, and Jan welcome the opportunity to get to know you better and explore with you how you might link with one of the committees or task forces that speaks to you. Or share your vision for what doesn't yet exist at All Souls, and tell us how you're ready to make it happen—with a little help from the rest of us.

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The All Souls Community

This congregation welcomes you and invites you to be part of our community of caring and friendliness. We proclaim a life-affirming faith that lifts us to a greater awareness of who we are and what we can become. Everyone who shares this spirit of community is welcome to be a part of our village in the city.

Those of us who gather at All Souls do so with hearts open to the mysteries of love and minds open to the wisdom of truth.

We welcome all who are searching, all who are questioning, all who would be stimulated by further growth. We welcome all who are hurting, who are suffering from new or old wounds.

At All Souls, we also gather to open our hands in compassion and service to neighbors among us and around us.

Community Building Groups and Programs at All Souls

The following groups have detailed information about their activities on this website. Click on a link to them for information. You can also [request more information](#) from All Souls.

[The Caring Team](#) (formerly Friends in Deed) ensures ongoing connection with the All Souls family when for an extended period of time a member of our congregation can't attend church or other activities which bring us together as a community.

[Cinema All Souls](#) screens award-winning films once a month on a big screen, followed by informal discussion.

[Historical Society](#) preserves the rich history of All Souls through archival work, oral history, and the sponsoring of the Bellows Lecture.

[Interweave](#) is an alliance of bisexuals, gays, lesbians and transgender persons and their heterosexual friends at The Unitarian Church of All Souls in New York City.

[Journey Toward Wholeness](#) focuses on systemic racism as it affects our congregation and the community.

[Lifelines Center](#) is a monthly lecture and discussion program.

[LifeScapes](#) oversees annual off-site adult intergenerational retreats and occasional mid-week evening programs.

[All Souls Media and Entertainment Group](#) is a professional and social network for all people involved in film, music, television: magazine, book and newspaper publishing: interactive

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Peace Task Force is a discussion and action group and information source for members who are concerned about immediate threats of war as well as exploring ways to work toward lasting global peace.

The People of Color Gathering (POC) is a recently formed group within the Unitarian Church of All Souls NY. Anyone is welcome to attend POC's informal gatherings and events each month.

All Souls Quarterly Review, produced and edited by members of the congregation, it includes editorials, articles, photographs, and feature stories that reflect upon our history and inform the congregation about activities at All Souls.

Stories With Soul, now in its thirteenth year, invites you to join them for a short story reading and discussion. No prior reading is necessary.

Thirties-Forties Fellowship provides social and spiritual events for people in their thirties and forties.

Ushers greet visitors, distribute Orders of Service, assist with seating and receive the offering.

Women's Alliance, founded in 1890, gives voice and support to issues of concern to women.

Women's Reading Group, open to all, discusses works authored by women.

All Souls Young Adults offer an opportunity for members and friends in their twenties and thirties (usually ages 18-35) to get together for social events, spiritual gatherings, and service opportunities.



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DATE: APR 30 1991 NO.

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4th Floor	50	54			4	E	Offices
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COMMERCIAL NEW CODE							

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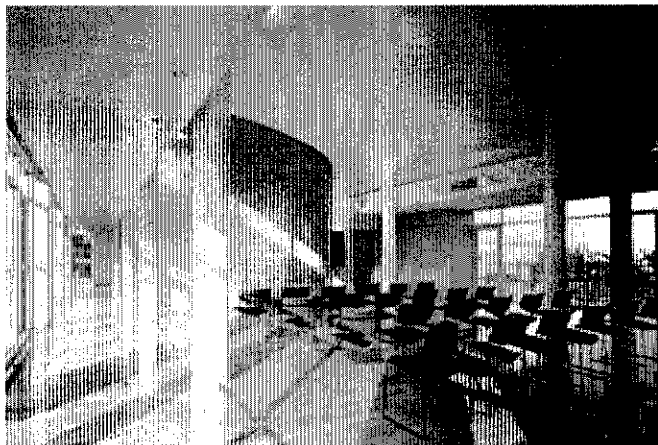
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BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN , THE CITY OF NEW YORK

No. **51887**Date **February 17, 1960****CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY**

(Standard form adopted by the Board of Standards and Appeals and issued pursuant to Section 646 of the New York Charter, and Sections C26-181.0 to C26-187.0 inclusive Administrative Code 21.3.1. to 21.3.7. Building Code.)

This certificate supersedes C. O. No. **51493**

To the owner or owners of the building or premises:

THIS CERTIFIES that the new ~~church~~ ~~building~~ ~~premises~~ located at
480-487 Riverside Drive; 621-635 West 120th Street
91-93 Clermont Avenue

Block **1991** Lot **10, 43, 47, 49**

conforms substantially to the approved plans and specifications, and to the requirements of the building code and all other laws and ordinances, and of the rules and regulations of the Board of Standards and Appeals, applicable to a building of its class and kind at the time the permit was issued; and

CERTIFIES FURTHER that, any provisions of Section 646F of the New York Charter have been complied with as certified by a report of the Fire Commissioner to the Borough Superintendent.

N.B. ~~BOOK~~ No. **153-1955**Construction classification— **Class 1 fireproof**Occupancy classification—**Public Building** . Height **Bant. & 7 stories, 117** feet.Date of completion—**February 16, 1960** . Located in **Residence** Use District.B Area **1 1/2** . Height Zone at time of issuance of permit **1570-1959; 1585-1959**

This certificate is issued subject to the limitations hereinafter specified **1418-1957; 1421-1957; 1424-1957; 1427-1957; 1430-1957; 1433-1957; 1436-1957; 1439-1957; 1442-1957; 1445-1957; 1448-1957; 1451-1957; 1454-1957; 1457-1957; 1460-1957; 1463-1957; 1466-1957; 1469-1957; 1472-1957; 1475-1957; 1478-1957; 1481-1957; 1484-1957; 1487-1957; 1490-1957; 1493-1957; 1496-1957; 1499-1957; 1502-1957; 1505-1957; 1508-1957; 1511-1957; 1514-1957; 1517-1957; 1520-1957; 1523-1957; 1526-1957; 1529-1957; 1532-1957; 1535-1957; 1538-1957; 1541-1957; 1544-1957; 1547-1957; 1550-1957; 1553-1957; 1556-1957; 1559-1957; 1562-1957; 1565-1957; 1568-1957; 1571-1957; 1574-1957; 1577-1957; 1580-1957; 1583-1957; 1586-1957; 1589-1957; 1592-1957; 1595-1957; 1598-1957; 1601-1957; 1604-1957; 1607-1957; 1610-1957; 1613-1957; 1616-1957; 1619-1957; 1622-1957; 1625-1957; 1628-1957; 1631-1957; 1634-1957; 1637-1957; 1640-1957; 1643-1957; 1646-1957; 1649-1957; 1652-1957; 1655-1957; 1658-1957; 1661-1957; 1664-1957; 1667-1957; 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**NO CHANGES OF USE OR OCCUPANCY NOT CONSISTENT WITH THIS CERTIFICATE SHALL
BE MADE UNLESS FIRST APPROVED BY THE BOROUGH SUPERINTENDENT**

Unless an approval for the same has been obtained from the Borough Superintendent, no change or rearrangement in the structural parts of the building, or affecting the light and ventilation of any part thereof, or in the exit facilities, shall be made; no enlargement, whether by extending on any side or by increasing in height shall be made; nor shall the building be moved from one location or position to another; nor shall there be any reduction or diminution of the area of the lot or plot on which the building is located.

The building or any part thereof shall not be used for any purpose other than that for which it is certified.

The superimposed, uniformly distributed loads, or concentrated loads producing the same stresses in the construction in any story shall not exceed the live loads specified on reverse side; the number of persons of either sex in any story shall not exceed that specified when sex is indicated, nor shall the aggregate number of persons in any story exceed the specified total; and the use to which any story may be put shall be restricted to that fixed by this certificate except as specifically stated.

This certificate does not in any way relieve the owner or owners or any other person or persons in possession or control of the building, or any part thereof from obtaining such other permits, licenses or approvals as may be prescribed by law for the uses or purposes for which the building is designed or intended; nor from obtaining the special certificates required for the use and operation of elevators; nor from the installation of fire alarm systems where required by law; nor from complying with any lawful order for additional fire extinguishing appliances under the discretionary powers of the fire commissioner; nor from complying with any lawful order issued with the object of maintaining the building in a safe or lawful condition; nor from complying with any authorized direction to remove encroachments into a public highway or other public place, whether attached to or part of the building or not.

If this certificate is marked "Temporary", it is applicable only to those parts of the building indicated on its face, and certifies to the legal use and occupancy of only such parts of the building; it is subject to all the provisions and conditions applying to a final or permanent certificate; it is not applicable to any building under the jurisdiction of the Housing Division unless it is also approved and endorsed by them, and it must be replaced by a full certificate at the date of expiration.

If this certificate is for an existing building, erected prior to March 14, 1916, it has been duly inspected and it has been found to have been occupied or arranged to be occupied prior to March 14, 1916, as noted on the reverse side, and that on information and belief, since that date there has been no alteration or conversion to a use that changed its classification as defined in the Building Code, or that would necessitate compliance with some special requirement or with the State Labor Law or any other law or ordinance; that there are no notices of violations or orders pending in the Department of Buildings at this time; that Section 646F of the New York City Charter has been complied with as certified by a report of the Fire Commissioner to the Borough Superintendent, and that, so long as the building is not altered, except by permission of the Borough Superintendent, the existing use and occupancy may be continued.

"§ 646 F. No certificate of occupancy shall be issued for any building, structure, enclosure, place or premises wherein containers for combustibles, chemicals, explosives, inflammables and other dangerous substances, articles, compounds or mixtures are stored, or wherein automatic or other fire alarm systems or fire extinguishing equipment are required by law to be or are installed, until the fire commissioner has tested and inspected and has certified his approval in writing of the installation of such containers, systems or equipment to the Borough Superintendent of the borough in which the installation has been made. Such approval shall be recorded on the certificate of occupancy."

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Form - 246-1931 Certificate of Occupancy.

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DEPARTMENT
BUREAU OF BUILDINGS

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK

N.Y.C. **CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY No. 19959** **193**

Supersedes Certificate of Occupancy No. 16578

To the owner or owners of the building:

New York Nov. 15, 1934

THIS CERTIFIES that the building located on Block 1991 Lot 32-41 pt. of 22-42

known as 630 West 122nd Street-97 Claremont Ave.-485-97 Riverside Dr.
265' front

under a permit, Application No. 1740 Alt of 19-33 conforms to the approved plans and specifications accompanying said permit and any approved amendments thereto; and to the requirements of the building code and all other laws and ordinances and to the rules and regulations of the board of standards and appeals, applicable to a building of its class and kind, except that in the case of a building heretofore existing and for which no previous certificate of occupancy has been issued and which has not been altered or converted since March 14, 1916, to a use that changed its classification as defined in the building code, this certificate confirms and continues the existing use to which the building has been put; and

CERTIFIES FURTHER that the building is of **fireproof** construction within the meaning of the building code and may be used and occupied as a **public** building as hereinafter qualified, in a **residence** district under the building zone resolution, subject to all the privileges, requirements, limitations and conditions prescribed by law or as hereinafter specified.

STORY	LIVE LOADS Lbs. per Sq. Ft.	PERSONS ACCOMMODATED			USE
		MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	
Cellar				5	Boiler, Machinery and Storage
Basement	75-100			800	Parish House
1st Mezz.	75			100	Parish House
1st Story	100			1600	Church and Chapel
2nd "					
1st gallery	100			440	Church
3rd Story					
2nd gallery	75-100			440	Church and Assembly
4th to 7th	75 on each			52 on each	
8th "	75-100			175	
9th "	75-100			75	ASSEMBLY
10th "	75			88	
11th to 13th	75 on each			50 on each	
14th & 15th	75 on each			75 on each	
16th to 19th	75-60 on each			18	Offices and Studios
20th Story	60			2	Study
21st "					Tanks and Machines

This certificate is issued to

Joel D. Marder,
100 East 42nd St. City.

, for the owner or owners.

The superimposed, uniformly distributed loads, or their equivalent concentrated loads in any story shall not exceed the live loads specified above; the number of persons of either sex in any story shall not exceed that specified when sex is indicated, nor shall the aggregate number of persons in any story exceed the specified total; and the use to which any story may be put shall be restricted to that fixed by this certificate except as specifically stated.

The building or any part thereof shall not be used for any purpose other than that for which it is certified.

Unless specifically stated above, the building or any part thereof, if certified as a public building, shall not be used as a building in which persons are harbored to receive medical, charitable or other care or treatment, such as a hospital, asylum, etc., or in which persons are held or detained under legal restraint, such as a police station, jail, etc.; nor shall it be used as a motion picture theatre as defined in section 30, chapter 3, Code of Ordinances; nor as a theatre or opera house or other building intended to be used for theatrical or operatic purposes, or for public entertainment of any kind, for the accommodation of more than 300 persons.

Unless specifically stated above, the building or any part thereof, if certified as a residence building, shall not be used as a tenement house as defined in the tenement house law; nor shall it be used as any form of residence building having more than 15 sleeping rooms; nor shall it be used as a lodging house within the meaning of Sec. 1305 of the Greater New York Charter.

Unless specifically stated above, the building or any part thereof, if certified as a business building, shall not be used as a garage, motor vehicle repair shop or oil selling station as defined in section 1, chapter 10, Code of Ordinances; nor shall it be used for the generation or compression of acetylene; nor as a factory building as defined in the labor law; nor as a grain elevator; nor as a coal pocket.

Except as otherwise noted above, the building, or any part thereof, if located elsewhere than in an unrestricted district, shall not be used for any of the purposes enumerated in paragraph (a) of section 4 of the building zone resolution; nor for any trade, industry or use that is noxious or offensive by reason of the emission of odor, dust, smoke, gas or noise; nor for any kind of manufacturing not already prohibited, except that, if located in a business district, not more than twenty-five per cent. of the total floor space may be so used, or space equal to the area of the lot in any case.

Except as otherwise noted above, the building, if certified as a garage, may not be used for more than five cars on any portion of a street between two intersecting streets, in which portion there exists an exit from or an entrance to a public school, or in which portion there exists any hospital maintained as a charitable institution; and in no case within a distance of 200 feet from the nearest exit from or entrance to a public school; nor within two hundred feet of any hospital maintained as a charitable institution.

If the building has, at any time previous to the issuance of this certificate, been the subject of an appeal to the board of appeals or of a petition to the board of standards and appeals resulting in modification or variation of law or any lawful requirement, the construction and arrangement of the building as specified in the resolution granting such modification or variation, must be maintained, and all conditions imposed by either board must be observed.

No change or re-arrangement in the structural parts of the building, or affecting the lighting or ventilation of any part thereof, or in the exit facilities, shall be made; no enlargement, whether by extending on any side or by increasing in height shall be made; nor shall the building be moved from one location or position to another; nor shall there be any reduction or diminution of the area of the lot or plot on which the building is located, until an approval of the same has been obtained from the superintendent of buildings.

This certificate supersedes each and every previously issued certificate of occupancy for this building or any part thereof, and each and every such previously issued certificate shall be null and void; and this certificate in turn becomes null and void upon the issuance of any new lawful certificate.

This certificate does not in any way relieve the owner or owners, or any other person or persons, in possession or control of the building, or any part thereof, from obtaining such other permits or licenses as may be prescribed by law for the uses or purposes for which the building is designed or intended; nor from complying with any lawful order issued with the object of maintaining the building in a safe or lawful condition; nor from complying with any authorized direction to remove encroachments into a public highway or other public place, whether attached to or part of the building or not.

This certificate does not authorize the use or operation of any elevator in the building without the special certificate required by section 563 of the building code.

If the building is or is required to be equipped with standpipes or other fire extinguishing or gas shut off appliances, this certificate is not complete until such standpipes or other appliances have been inspected by the fire department (or by the Tenement House Department in the case of a gas shut off in a tenement house) and approved in writing, either in a separate certificate or by endorsement upon this certificate. (Space for such endorsement is provided on page 4 of this certificate.)

If this certificate is marked "Temporary," it is applicable only to those parts of the building indicated on its face, and certifies to the legal use and occupancy of only such parts of the building; it is subject to all the provisions and conditions applying to a final or permanent certificate; it is not applicable to a tenement house unless also approved by the tenement house commissioner; and it must be replaced by a full certificate as soon as the entire building is completed according to law and ready for occupancy.

The word "class" as used in this certificate refers to the classification of buildings in the building code (section 70).

This certificate is issued in accordance with the provisions of section 411-a of the Greater New York Charter and of section 5 of chapter 5 (Building Code) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York.

Examined *JS*

Samuel F. ...
Commissioner of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan.

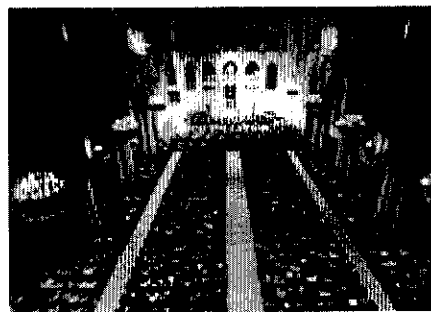
Additional copies of this certificate will be issued, upon written request, to persons having a proprietary interest in the building.

Riverside Church

The Church seeks to be a community of faith. Its members are united in the worship of God known in Jesus, the Christ, through the inspiration of the Holy Spirit. The mission of the Church is to serve God through word and witness; to treat all human beings as sisters and brothers; and to foster responsible stewardship of all God's creation.

The Church commits itself to welcoming all persons, celebrating the diversity found in a congregation broadly inclusive of persons from different backgrounds of race, economic class, religion, culture, ethnicity, gender, age and sexual orientation. Members are called to an individual and collective quality of life that leads to personal, spiritual and social transformation, witnessing to God's saving purposes for all creation. Therefore, the Church pledges itself to education, reflection, and action for peace and justice and the realization of the vision of the heavenly banquet where all are loved and blessed.

Approved by the Religious Society of The Riverside Church on May 17, 1992



*The Rev. Dr. James A. Forbes, Jr.,
Senior Minister Emeritus*

THE RIVERSIDE CHURCH FAITH-BASED PROCLAMATIONS

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Who We Are

The Three "I"s...

We are an interdenominational, interracial, & international congregation.

Membership

The Riverside Church has 2,400 members and affiliates. Its members come from more than 40 different denominational, national, ethnic, and cultural backgrounds.

Affiliations

The church is interdenominational. It is affiliated with both the United Church of Christ and the American Baptist Churches and cooperates with the Council of Churches in the

City of New York as well as the New York State, National, and World Councils of Churches.

Governance

The Church Council, comprised of 18 elected members of the congregation, is responsible for the spiritual well-being, fiscal matters, and property of the church, and oversees the various commissions and committees of the church.

Programs

Check out our Programs page for a complete listing of our various ministries.

Building

The church is modeled after the 13th Century gothic cathedral in Chartres, France. Construction began in 1927 with the first service held on October 5, 1930. The Nave seats over 2,100 worshipers. The 20-floor tower contains meeting rooms and the 74-bell Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial Carillon. The Carillon's 20-ton Bourdon bell is the largest turned bell in the world. The smallest bell in our Carillon weighs 10 pounds.

Senior Ministers

The Rev. Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick, 1930 - 1946
 The Rev. Dr. Robert James McCracken, 1946 - 1967
 The Rev. Dr. Ernest T. Campbell, 1968 - 1976
 The Rev. Dr. William Sloane Coffin, Jr., 1977 - 1987
 The Rev. Dr. James A. Forbes, Jr., 1989 - 2007

Clergy

The Rev. Bob Coleman
 The Rev. Elice Higginbotham
 The Rev. J. Lee Hill Jr.
 The Rev. Dr. Joan Kavanaugh
 The Rev. Patricia A. Lawson
 The Rev. Dr. Thomas L. Stiers
 The Rev. Linda Tarry-Chard
 Rev. Dr. Arnold Isidore Thomas



*Clockwise from top left:
 Fosdick, McCracken, Campbell,
 Coffin Jr.*

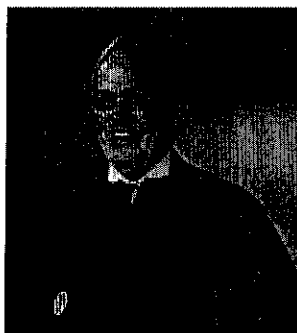
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Riverside at a Glance

Christ Chapel Chamber Series

On Sunday January 6, we are delighted to have a former Riverside Choir member return for a very special recital. Sidney Outlaw made his Avery Fisher Hall debut in May 2007 under the baton of Maestro James DePriest as the soloist for Beethoven's Symphony No. 9.

☐ **Sidney Outlaw and Warren Jones**

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Record Collection Sale

The Riverside Church is selling a huge collection of vinyl records consisting of Classical Music, Jazz, Opera, Popular Film Soundtracks, and Show Tunes. There are over 6000 records in superb condition to choose from. Some items are boxed sets and many are double disk recordings that are still in their original wrapping and have never been played.

☐ **Over 6000 Titles**

Related Topics: [Searchable Database](#)

Annual Wedding Open House

On Saturday, January 19th you can learn all you ever wanted to know about having your Wedding at The Riverside Church and enter a drawing to win a free wedding ceremony! Take a tour and walk the aisles of our lovely sanctuaries, see our reception rooms, and meet our premiere in-house caterer and wedding ceremony consultant.

☐ **Win a Free Wedding**

Related Topics: [More Information - Wedding Open House](#)

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☐ **New Year's Eve Service of Worship**

Upcoming Events

Worship Schedule

Sunday: (live webcast)

8:15 am - Morning Light Gathering

10:45 am - Service of Worship ☐

Wednesdays,

7:00 pm - Creating a Space for Grace
Assembly Hall

Monday

6-7 p.m., Prayer & Meditation
Christ Chapel

Thursdays

6-7 p.m., Prayer & Meditation
Meditation Chapel

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Guest Preachers

January 20, 2008:

The Rev. Dr. Roy A. Medley>

Featured Events

Saturday, January 19th

12:00PM-2:30PM

Annual Wedding Open House

Sunday, January 27th

1:00PM-3:00PM

Annual Choir Benefit

☐ **All Theatre Events**

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January

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Worship Schedule

Sunday Worship Webcasts:

This Week (January 13th): Coming Soon

Last Week (January 6th): Listen On-Demand 

 To listen you must have Windows Media Player installed.

CDs of previous services available for purchase 

Worship services at Riverside reflect in their diversity who we are and fortify us for our mission of bringing the message of progressive Christianity to the city, nation, and world. Whether you join us for the **Sunday morning service** in the beautiful nave or for the more intimate **Space for Grace** on Wednesday evenings, you will find your spirit renewed "for the living of these days." Come for great preaching, for inspiring music from many traditions, for quiet prayer and for the companionship of a multicultural congregation. But do come. **You will be changed.**

Please visit the event calendar for details on any specific worship event.

Sunday

8:15 a.m.

Morning Light Gathering features meditation and spiritual reflection with Wellness Center staff and participants.

10:45 a.m. The Service of Worship is held weekly in the Nave. Communion is celebrated on the first Sunday of the month followed by a Healing Service.

Mondays & Thursdays

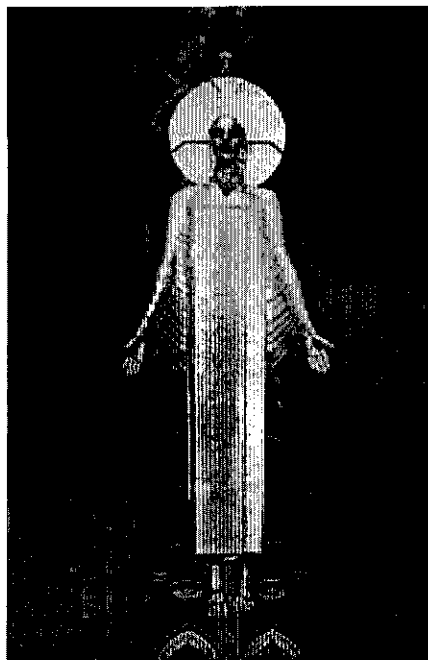
6:00 p.m.

Lay-led Prayer and Meditation Services are held in Christ Chapel.

Wednesday

7:00 p.m.

A worship service, Creating a Space for Grace, is held in the Assembly Hall. The service features preaching, prayer, and music to revive the spirit mid-week. A soup supper is offered at 6:30 p.m. Holy Communion is observed every 3rd Wednesday.



Weeknight Prayer & Meditation

Ever feel you need someone to pray with?
Come join us on Monday and Thursday
evenings for prayer, song, praise, and scripture
reading. We are a dedicated group of church
members that meets weekly to address
individual and communal prayer concerns. All
are welcome to join us in Christ Chapel (except
on holidays) from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

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WED 9

Space for Grace
7:00PM - 9:00PM

THU 10

Weeknight Prayer Service
6:00PM - 7:00PM

SUN 13

Revelation: Horror or Hope?
9:00AM - 10:30AM

Service of Worship
First Sunday after Epiphany
10:45AM - 12:00PM
The Rev. Dr. Thomas L. Stiers, preaching. Sermon--"Grace Awakening" Hebrew Bible lesson--Isaiah 42: 1-9 Gospel Lesson--Matthew 3: 13-17

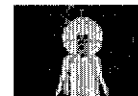
The Way
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MON 14

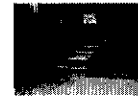
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Space for Grace
7:00PM - 9:00PM



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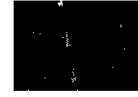
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THU 17

Weeknight Prayer Service
6:00PM - 7:00PM

SAT 19

Annual Wedding Open House
12:00PM - 2:30PM
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SUN 20

Service of Worship
Second Sunday after the Epiphany
10:45AM - 12:00PM
The Rev. Dr. Roy A.. Medley, preaching.

MON 21

Weeknight Prayer Service
6:00PM - 7:00PM

WED 23

Space for Grace
7:00PM - 9:00PM

THU 24

Weeknight Prayer Service
6:00PM - 7:00PM

SUN 27

Service of Worship
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Kanyere Eaton, preaching.

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Annual Choir Benefit
1:00PM - 3:00PM
The Riverside Choir Gala Benefit Brunch Dale Zurbrick, master of ceremonies What do Baseball, Batman, Brooklyn's Verrazano-Narrows Bridge, Hattie McDaniel and Harley Davi...

MON 28

Weeknight Prayer Service
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WED 30

Space for Grace
7:00PM - 9:00PM

THU 31

Weeknight Prayer Service
6:00PM - 7:00PM

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The Riverside Theatre

The Riverside Theatre presents a diverse range of programming, that includes cutting edge choreography in our dance festival, heart wrenching documentaries like Congo: Red Rubber, White King, Black Death and the enchanting theatrical Orisha Tales. Bring your entire family for the NY Family Arts Festival, let your kids explore their creativity and talents in our Youth Theatre or visit one of our exhibits.

You will find as many as 120 annual performances of dance, music and drama to choose from. We want to engage, educate, and inspire you. Whether you want to attend original dance productions, film premieres, musicals, plays or volunteer as an usher, The Riverside Theatre welcomes you.



Visit the official website

Rental Information

For online tickets:



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Let Riverside be the Site for Your Next Special Event!

Organizations and individuals looking to hold weddings, receptions, concerts, rehearsals, conferences, video productions and meetings in a unique public space will feel right at home at The Riverside Church.

We offer a wonderful blend of history and architectural design which translates beautifully to the many locations within the building. This historic landmark provides both grand and intimate spaces and some premium amenities from staging to working fireplaces, all lending warmth and ambience to your special event. We also provide in house catering, dressing rooms, event planners and floral options.

Riverside's 400-ft tower, which is home to the world's largest tuned bell, also contains 20-floors of meeting rooms and several rehearsal rooms with pianos.

The spaces listed below may also be used for orchestra and/or chorus rehearsals, recitals and concerts. Contact Rental Manager Angela Gregory for booking arrangements and rehearsal fees for the Assembly Hall, 9T Lounge and South Hall. We also rent bass stools, music stands, stand lights and selected rehearsal equipment.

PLEASE NOTE:

Reception spaces include roundtables, long tables, and chairs, but the rates do not include security deposits or cleanup fees.

THE NAVE

The splendor of our main worship space with its stained glass windows should serve as the perfect backdrop for any event that requires a room of this size.

Size: The Nave measures 96 feet in length and 64 feet in width.

Capacity: With its two balconies, seats about 1900.

Fee: The cost for concerts, rehearsals, lectures, etc., varies. Please contact us for the fee

For **information**, call Loleta Nicholson, Manager, Rentals & Programs Services, at 212.870.6766 or email LNicholson@theriversidechurchny.org

For **weddings**, please call Loleta Nicholson, at 212.870.6762 or email LNicholson@theriversidechurchny.org

For **memorials and funerals**, please call Angela Haddock at 212.870.6703 or email ahaddock@riversidechurch.net

For **Theater Rentals**, please call Jewel Kinch at 212.870.6877 or email jkinch@@riversidechurch.net



Graduation in the Nave

schedule.

THE SOUTH HALL

Size: Our largest reception hall, South Hall, measures 86 feet in length and 62 feet in width and comes with a full stage area and lobby.
Capacity: The space can accommodate a party of 350 for a formal sit-down dinner with cocktail reception area or 500 for an open floor reception.

Fee: Organizations using the South Hall for special events are required to pay a fee to support the work of the church. Please contact Angela Gregory for all fees.

THE ASSEMBLY HALL

This large gothic-style space with stone pillars and a stage, includes a full kitchen with an ice machine.

Size: The space can accommodate a party of 250 for a formal sit-down dinner and 500 for an open floor reception.

Fee: Organizations using the Assembly Hall for special events are required to pay a fee to support the work of the church. Please contact Angela Gregory for all fees and rates.

THE NINTH FLOOR LOUNGE

Of all Riverside's reception halls, the most spectacular is the Ninth Floor Lounge with its view of the Hudson River and New Jersey on one side and urban sprawl on the other. This beautiful gothic space with its own wood-burning fireplace comes with a full kitchen and a smaller side room perfect for coat-check or waiting room.

Size: The Lounge measures 37 feet in length and 65 feet in width.

Capacity: The space can accommodate a party of 100 for a formal sit-down dinner.

Fee: Organizations using the Ninth Floor Lounge for special events are required to pay a fee to support the work of the church. Please contact Angela Gregory for all fees and rates.

THEATER RENTALS

The Theatre of The Riverside Church is available for rentals to produce your theater, dance, and film programs.... To book a performance, call Jewell Kinch, Theatre Manager, at 212.870.6877.



South Hall



Assembly Hall



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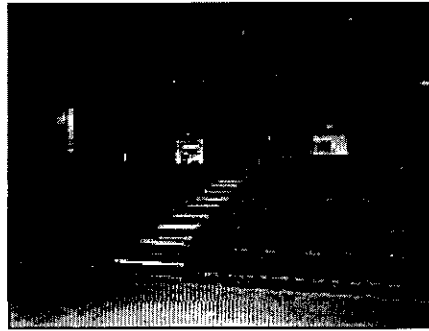


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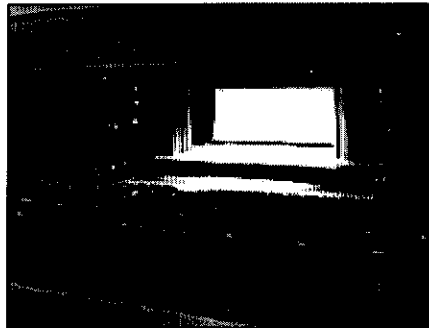
General Description:

Traditional **Proscenium** Theater with Apron extension and false proscenium legs (masking soft goods) creating full DS of curtain line with exits SR and SL. Total of 250 seats (180 raked and 70 free) located at front and rear levels. Lighting Booth located in back of house on C/L with full view of stage. Two (2) dressing rooms located off SL to accommodate 10-15 people each; both equipped with toilets, hot and cold sinks, and make-up mirrors with lights.

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Theater - Rear View